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 For: LIQUID CRYSTAL DISPLAY)
 DEVICE OPERATING IN A)
 VERTICALLY ALIGNED)
 MODE OF LIQUID CRYSTAL)
 MOLECULES)
 Art Unit: 2871)

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100-26767	Japan	Jan. 27, 1998
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Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner consider the above-listed reference in the examination of this application and list this reference of record in the application.

The enclosed reference was cited in a Communication issued by the Korean Patent Office (copy enclosed). Applicant hereby certifies that each of the above items of information was first cited in any communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three (3) months prior to the filing of this Statement.

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